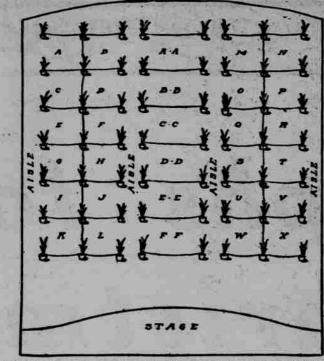
SOCIETY.

(Continued from Page 16.) Final preparations are being made for the presentation of the oratorio, "The Messiah," the evening of December 16 in the Auditorium. The To-peka Musical Art society has the af-fair in charge and it is expected to peka Musical Art society has the affair in charge and it is expected to be the largest musical event of the year in Topeka. The soloists will come from out of town, but the chorus will consist of 200 voices of local people. Added to that, the high school will furnish 65 singers to join in the singing of the Hallelujah chorus, and there will be an orchestra of about 50 pieces.

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The parquet of the Auditorium will be divided off into boxes, making thirty boxes in all. The patrons of the entertainment will be the box holders. The managers of the affair have devised an excellent plan. Instead of building the boxes with lumber, the division will be made by encircling a certain number of seats circling a certain number of seats with ribbon, and marking off the squares with palms at each corner.

Among the pairons who have already engaged boxes are: Mr. and Mrs. Hiram P. Dillon, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. A. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. Gleed, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Capper, Mrs. Jonathan Thomas, Madame Lunde Souther, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Guild, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Godard, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kouns, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Derby and Mr. W. W.



Plan of Boxes for the Parquet of Auditorium for the "Messiah" Oratori

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Tomorrow, Sunday, Dec. 6 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

> "A WOMAN WITH A **MESSAGE**"

The Vespuccian club will meet with Mrs. C. E. Neil, 1527 Western avenue, December 10, at 2:30 o'clock in the aft-

the Y. W. C. A. rooms. A barrel is being packed to be sent to the Union's missionary at Pittsburg. Gifts for this cause are asked for and those who have clothing to give may leave it at the Y. W. C. A. huilding.

The Monday Tourist club will meet December 7 with Mrs. W. P. Snyder instead of Mrs. H. T. Fisher

The Golden Rule club will meet at the home of Mrs. J. C. Holland, 1505 West Fifteenth street, Friday after-noon. Mrs. Alice Kingman will make

SNAP SHOTS

The regular December meeting of the board of education will be held next Monday night,

There were a large number of shop-pers from out of town in Topeka today.

both of Lawrence. Covers were placed for Mrs. Hodges, Mrs. Kilwarth, Miss Edwards, Mrs. Allen Otis, Mrs. Thos. Keesham, Mrs. G. O. Smith, Mrs. Albert Winter, Mrs. G. O. Smith, Mrs. Albert Winter, Mrs. L. T. Price, Miss Anna Banks, Dean Edith Twiss of Washburn college, Miss Helen Spiel-Washburn college, Miss Helen Spiel-Washburn college, Miss Helen Spiel-Mrs. J. W. F. Hughes, Miss Florence Dice and Mrs. J. W. F. Hughes, Miss Florence Dice and Mrs. J. W. F. Hughes, Mrs. J. W. Briar and Mrs. Howard Johnston.

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The girls of the senior class of the city jail is,"

man, Miss Porceae Dies and Mrs.
Richards.

A meeting of the Matinee Mustice Will be held at 2:30 o'clock next Mrs. Albert 7. Reid. It is to be an important meeting, and the members of th

Pacific.

Daily except Sunday, effective December 6, passenger train 632, leaving Topeka will depart 8:30 a. m. and train 631 into Topeka will arrive 4:30 p. m.—

The Woman's Commercial club will have its regular meeting Monday evening in the Commercial club rooms. Mr. W. A. S. Bird will make an address on "Widows' and Orphans' Pensions."

The Topeka W. C. T. U. will meet Monday afternoon at three o'clock at Monday afternoon at Monday afternoon at Monday afternoon at three o'clock at Monday afternoon at Monday

EAST SIDE NOTES.

Miss Grace Kelley entertained the following members of her Sunday school class of the Third Christian church Wednesday afternoon: Harold Mabray, Dudley Magnuson, Willard Mowrer, Clarence Cox, Edward Crowder, Norman Anderson, Chester McGill, Harold Farmer, Arthur Laud and George Sherman.

Robert Kirkham and J. P. Baxter, of Lebo, Kan., are visiting at the T. P. Baxter home in Scotland avenue.

Mrs. W. B. Stitt and children, of North Dakota, and Mrs. M. Flemming, of North Dakota, and Mrs. M. Flemming, of Neriden, have returned to their homes, after a few weeks' visit to the George Fleming family at Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Gustafson, Mr. and Mrs. Geiger and Mr. Kerns are in Lawrence on business for the Fraternal Aid association.

Monday night.

The monthly meeting of the Shawnee county teachers was held today at the high school building.

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A marriage license has been issued Lawrence Thatcher of Richland and Miss Bertha Hendricks of Richland.

There were a large number of shoppers from out of town in Topeka today.

Fine trousers, worth \$5, \$6, \$7; a large lot of fine suit patterns among them; and many fine stripes; all Hart Schaffner & Marx made; \$5, \$6, \$7 values, at

Boys' Norfolk suits, 2 pairs knickers, \$2

The best \$4 value you've ever seen; stylish patterns in smart Norfolk models; fancy and blue serge fabrics; nothing like them ever offered before at \$2.00.

Soft and stiff hats, Tonight \$1.85

Surplus from the best makers, the standard \$3 and \$3.50 grades; the stylish shapes; the latest col-orings. We have lots of these hats; if we could give the maker's name you'd rush for them at \$1.85.

\$2.50 to \$5 union underwear, \$1.35

Short lots of mercerized cotton, mottled wool, mer-cerized heavy wool. Sizes 34 and 36 and 46 to 50 only. These are \$2.50, \$3, \$3.50, \$5 values, tonight at \$1.35

\$3.00 to \$5.00 Ladies' Shoes \$1.45

On a separate table we have placed about 100 pairs of odds and ends of Ladies' Fine Shoes. Values from \$3.50 to \$5.00, not all sizes but a fairly good assortment. If your size is there buy it for \$1.45.

Auerbach & Guettel A DOUGE CLOTHING CO.

An After Supper Sale

to supply present needs and provide for Christmas

In the Bargain Basement

Women's Winter Underwear

Pure white Union Suits; close knit ribbed suits with light weight fleece lining, well shaped and strongly stitched, medium high neck; long sleeve; aizes 34 to 44. Basement. 67c

Women's Wool Hose

Seconds of the 25c grade; defects are slight and have been well mended; well shaped; have extra weight heel and toe. 17c Pair. . 3 Pairs for 50c

Men's Union

Natural color, heavy ribbed style, with high button neck and long sleeves; well shaped garments that will resist the 79c

Children's Union Suits

Sufficient weight for all winter wear, natural grey color, for boys; pure white, for girls; well made, serviceable suits. 49c Sizes 2 to 16 yrs. Basement

> Comfort Bats

Pure white cotton,

very soft and fluffy, 3pound weight, opening into full comfort size,

72x84 inches. Very special. Basement-

47c Each

Outing

Flannel

in good quality; cloth is close-woven and has heavy nap that makes

it very desirable for gowns, undershirts, etc.

7½c Yard

Christmas Ribbons

Broad Fancy Ribbo

All new fresh and beautiful, in a good assortment of Dresden

rich stripes, plaids, light

and dark colors for

fancy work, at a very

Yard 23c

special price-

Outing Flannel Gowns

Medium weight outing in pink or blue stripes, neck and 17, cut reasonably full and long. Basement...... 55c

Children's Coats

Sizes 6 to 14 years in a variety of fancy styles and cloth; all attractively trimmed in latest styles. Special lots at

\$1.98 to \$3.69

Christmas Handkerchiefs

WOMEN'S INITIAL HANDKER-CHIEFS-Very fine and soft, with narrow hem, fancy embroidered corner with very daintily worked initials; 5c

WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS-Sheer quality, with narrow hem, plain white or border. 3 for 10c

BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS - 3 in box; made of extra sheer lawn, with narrow hem and fine bands for border.
An extra quality 25c Box

EMBROIDERED CORNER HAND-KERCHIEFS with parrow hemstitched hem and assorted figures embroidered in corner; fine soft lawn; 6 for 25c regular 5c values...... 6

CHILDREN'S HANDKERCHIEFS -These are strictly children's styles, with little figures of children embroidered in corners. They will make very 15c box fine gifts; 3 in box......

Fancy Japanese Baskets Many attractive shapes and useful sizes in these durable Japanese straw baskets. Decorated tops with lattice sides for ribbon trimming if desired. After Supper, each..........10c

Christmas Post Cards

A new lot of choice designs in Merry Christmas or New Year 18 for 5c

Holly Ribbon for your Christmas packages; full 5-yard bolts in holly or Merry Christmas pattern. Save

a little at our After Supper price, Basement 8 1-3c Bolt

Aluminum Percolators

French shape with black ebony style handle; high dome top, hinged cover. Each in holly box, makes an excellent gift for mother-

AFTER SUPPER

60 Trimmed Hats up

Xmas

to \$6.00 at These stylish hats are mostly in silk velvet and plush, black, and a few colors. The values are so exceptional at this sensationally low price that every woman should have an extra hat at this price.

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